

# Attention FDA

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It came to my attention that the FDA is being asked to take away my right to sign a medical waiver before purchasing a hearing aid. Instead I would be forced to have a medical exam or hearing test. Here's my views and/or experiences on several related questions?

1. Should I be forced to have a medical exam and/or hearing test before purchasing a hearing aid? If so, should the FDA pay for the exam?

1a: NO! I want the choice to hear or not to hear w/o added expense

1b: Yes! If an exam is mandated by the government; The government should pay for it.

2. Some people are physically unable to drive to a doctor or hearing specialist, or have had bad experiences they don't want to repeat. For instance ...

Please have mercy on the sick, lame and poor

3. Should the FDA take away my Constitutional Right, affirmed by the Supreme Court, to decide for myself my medical exams and treatment?


NO! Leave us decide care and expense.

4. Should I be allowed to purchase hearing aids by mail as I choose?

yes!

I'm not trying to buy a gun!

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